

Proposed Legislation
 To be Considered by the
 House of Delegates
Fall 2023

Block A				
Number	Subject	Effective Date	Req'd	Pull
R-01	Allow meet entries to be due 15 days prior to the first day of the swim meet date.	Immediate	50%	
R-02	Proration adjustment for 18 &U athletes at national competitions	Immediate	50%	
RH-01	Reflect current practice for Zone Sanction Appeal process	Immediate	50%	

Block B				
Number	Subject	Effective Date	Req'd	Pull
B-01	To conform to the standard USAS by-laws for nominations and move procedures for a slate of nominees to the policy manual	January 1, 2024	90%	

Misc				
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Note: Items labeled BH-XX or RH-XX are housekeeping changes which just clarify existing items.

R-01

ACTION: Adopted Defeated Adopted/Amended Tabled Postponed Pulled

Summary: Allow meet entries to be due 15 days prior to the first day of the swim meet date.

Rationale: Facilities in the LSC require payment in full 10 or more days prior to the first day of the swim meet. Increasing the number of days to 15 gives the host team time to evaluate their entries against the cost and reduce their risk of financial loss.

Submitted by: Dwight Dickerman

Effective Date: Immediate

206.4 ENTRY DEADLINE The entry deadline cannot be no more than ~~ten~~(105) days prior to the first day of the swim meet.

R-02

ACTION: Adopted Defeated Adopted/Amended Tabled Postponed Pulled

Summary: Proration adjustment for 18 &U athletes at national competitions

Rationale: Allow travel fund monies more accessible for our 18&U athletes at national competitions

Submitted by: Sean Quinn

Effective Date: Immediate

211.3 ATHLETE FUNDING

.1 *No changes*

.2 PRORATION

A. Swimmers who are registered as year-round athletes with NCS for the registration year during which the competition occurs and for the three prior registration years are eligible for full funding when funding requirements are met.

B. Swimmers who are registered as year-round athletes with NCS for the registration year during which the competition occurs and for the two prior registration years: ~~are eligible for 2/3 funding when funding requirements are met.~~

1. Swimmers 18 & Under are eligible for full funding when funding requirements are met

2. Swimmers 19 & Over are eligible for 2/3 funding when funding requirements are met

C. Swimmers who are registered as year-round athletes with NCS for the registration year during which the competition occurs and for the prior registration year: ~~are eligible for 1/3 funding when funding requirements are met.~~

1. Swimmers 18 & Under are eligible for full funding when funding requirements are met

2. Swimmers 19 & Over are eligible for 1/3 funding when funding requirements are met

D. Swimmers who are registered as year-round athletes with NCS for the registration year during which the competition occurs but not in the prior year are not eligible for funding.

.3 LIMITATIONS/EXCEPTIONS

A-E No changes

F. NCS athletes who compete as NCAA varsity swimmers and come back to North Carolina to practice with and represent NCS member clubs in meets during the off season are exempt from the minimum number of meets requirement provided they were NCS year-round registered athletes for the ~~four~~two consecutive registration years prior to entering college.

RH-01

ACTION: Adopted Defeated Adopted/Amended Tabled Postponed Pulled

Summary: To reflect current practices

Rationale: To reflect current practices

Submitted by: Legislative Committee

Effective Date: Immediate

Rule 202.1

.1 through .8 No changes

- .9 After a meet has been approved as part of the schedule, material changes to information originally submitted in the bid submission form, including a change in venue or changes in fees that are mandatory and apply to all or virtually all participants, shall be submitted as soon as the changes are known to the Scheduling Coordinator for approval.
- A. The Scheduling Coordinator can either approve or reject the changes.
 - B. If the requested change is rejected by the Scheduling Coordinator, the host can appeal the change to the Operations Committee. The Operations Committee can either accept or reject the requested changes.
 - C. If the requested change is rejected by the Operations Committee, the host can appeal the decision through the Zone Sanction Appeals Process (ZSAP).
 - 1. The ZSAP does not have the authority to establish entry fees.
 - D. The team may also cancel the meet under the existing cancellation process.

B-01

ACTION: Adopted Defeated Adopted/Amended Tabled Postponed Pulled

Summary: To allow one nominee for board positions in an election

Rationale: To conform to the standard USAS by-laws for nominations and move procedures for a slate of nominees to the policy manual

Submitted by: Trish Martin

Recommendation: *(Office Use Only)*

Effective Date: January 1, 2024

7.4 STANDING COMMITTEES & COORDINATORS

.1 & .2 No changes

.3 GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE -

A thru C No changes

D. DUTIES

(1) through (7) No Changes

(8) To nominate the Board members listed in 6.1 and 6.2.3 A to be elected by the House of Delegates consistent with the matrix of skills, demographics, and talents needed. ~~At least 2 nominees for each position shall be named;~~